IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO.1427 OF 2006

Surendrakumar s/o Govardhandas
Baheti & Anr. .. Petitioners.

vs.

The State of Maharashtra
& Anr. .. Respondents.

Mr. J. N. Singh for petitioners.
Mrs. S.D. Shinde, APP., for Respondents.

CORAM : J.N. PATEL, AND
SMT. ROSHAN DALVI, JJ.
DATE : 13th September, 2006.

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. The petitioner has approached this Court for seeking quashing of the proceedings before the Magistrate pursuant to which First Information Report has been registered by Nigdi Police Station, Pune who are investigating into the case against the petitioners and others for having committed offences under sections 467, 468, 471, 420, 409, 506, 120B of IPC. We have gone through the FIR as also the case diary. We find that the investigation is at the preliminary stage. So far as the allegations in the

FIR are concerned, they do make out a prima facie case which requires proper investigation. The latter part of the case diary rather goes to show that the investigating officer would require to spend time in attending various courts where the petitioners have filed applications for prearrest bail and so on. We do not find that this is a case where the petitioners are falsely implicated and any interference by this Court in its extraordinary jurisdiction would only hamper the investigation which is not within the realm of this Court. Therefore, the petition is dismissed. We expect the investigating officer to expedite the investigation.

(J.N. Patel, J.)

(Smt. Roshan Dalvi, J.)